

Marlboro, Nov. 12, 1863.

Mr. Garrison:

My Dear Sir,

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Your circular of the 12 inst. has been received. I deem it a high honor to be thought worthy of an invitation to the meeting in the city of Philadelphia to commemorate the Thirtieth Anniversary of the American Anti-Slavery Society. But circumstances will, I fear, ~~not~~ prevent my attending it.

In the year 1830 or <sup>1831,</sup> ~~31~~, whilst a student in Brown University, I chanced to read some sheets printed by yourself in Boston. The sheets were not large nor the paper very fine; but suffice it to say, they contained facts that settled the question of emancipation with me. Since that hour I have been an unwavering anti-slavery man, and if I have done any good service in the glorious cause of emancipation, let God and William Lloyd Garrison be thanked.

Very truly yours,

O. W. Albee.



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